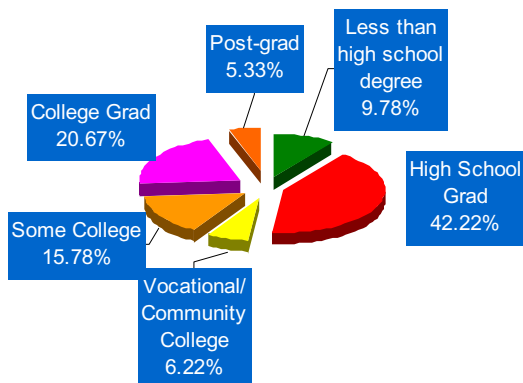


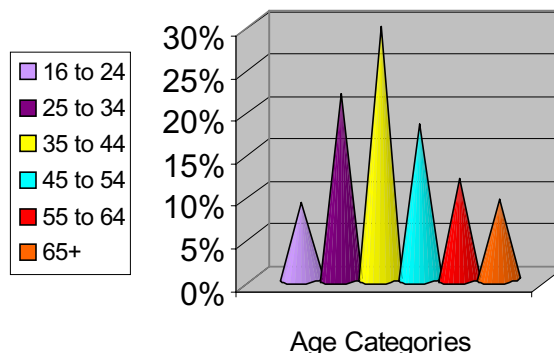
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Results from the 1994 Northeast Socioeconomics Fishing Survey*

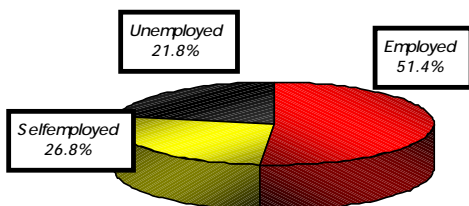
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EMPLOYMENT STATUS



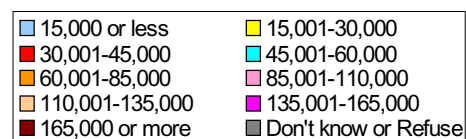
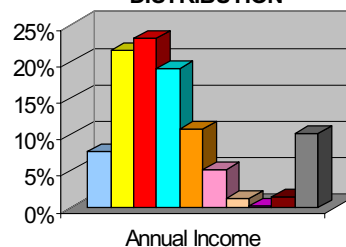
Anglers' Management Preferences

	Support	Oppose	DK/Refuse
Size Limits	84.87%	12.50%	2.63%
Bag Limits	84.21%	12.50%	3.29%
Season Limits	72.37%	22.37%	5.26%
Area Limits	61.62%	30.92%	7.46%

FACTS

- About 50% of Maine anglers surveyed own a boat used for recreational saltwater fishing.
- Anglers surveyed spent on average \$50 on boat fees when fishing on a party/charter or rental boat. Boat fees were as high as \$900 per trip.
- Total travel expenses averaged about \$19 per trip, and the maximum spent was \$3,000 per trip, for surveyed anglers.
- Anglers surveyed on a one-day trip traveled an average of 42 miles compared with 589 miles for those spending at least one night away from home.
- Anglers surveyed on a multi-day trip traveled as much as 3,230 miles to fish in Maine.

HOUSEHOLD INCOME DISTRIBUTION



*The data are representative of the anglers surveyed and may not be reflective of the population of this state.